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## ORDERS COACHES FOR D. C. TROOPS

Department of East Directs  
Early Start for Border.

The quartermaster's office at Fort Meyer has received definite orders from the Department of the East to arrange for the immediate departure of the District National Guards now at Camp Ordway, Va.

Battery A, Cavalry Troop A and ninety-five recruits for the First Separate Battalion are to comprise the first section to move on cars to be on the siding at Rosslyn, Va., today. A detail from the Sanitary Troop under Capt. Herbert Bryson will accompany the first section. It is hoped that this section will be able to leave tonight, but doubt is expressed as to the ability to provide the requisite ten days' rations in time. The men do not want to move for a few days, because their pay is due about Monday and they fear that transfer to the jurisdiction of the Southern Department will cause a delay of several months in the arrival of the paymaster.

Capt. Louis C. Vogt of Battery A, is to be in command of the first section.

Officers and men in the camp were on the alert last night awaiting the arrival of the orders which must come from the camp through Capt. Horace S. Hobbs, U. S. A., mustering officer, from the Department of the East before any actual movement can take place. These orders were expected to arrive by telegraph at any minute.

The officers will be provided with Pullman sleepers and the men will occupy tourist coaches. Baggage, freight and cook cars also will be taken. No delay is anticipated in getting railroad cars, as the coaches used to return New York and other Eastern troops during the last few days are understood to be available.

The Guardsmen returned to camp about 7:30 o'clock last night from the Press Club-Bord of Trade game, thankful that they are to move.

Officers have been provided with the First Separate Battalion were to be left behind are discredited by the fact that the Fort Meyer quartermaster is preparing to send them with the first section.

The District troops number about 1,400 of the 10,000 troops ordered to the border by yesterday's telegram from the War Department to Governors Island. These troops will, it is said, displace an equal number now on the border.

## CO-OPERATIVE PROJECT AROUSSES MILK DEALERS

Middlemen Begin to Worry About Results of Movement.

Washington milk dealers are beginning to worry over the project of milk producers to establish a municipal dairy and the middlemen are beginning to worry over the project of milk producers to establish a municipal dairy and the middlemen are beginning to worry over the project of milk producers to establish a municipal dairy.

## GRAVEUR'S COMPANION WOMAN FROM CHICAGO

Injured Blond Innocent of Wrong, Says Sister, Offering Proof.

(By the International News Service.) Chicago, Sept. 27.—Mrs. Charles Frederick Vogeding, a sister of Mrs. Joseph C. Leduc, the Chicago woman who was shot and dangerously wounded by Mrs. Harry Belzer just before the latter killed J. C. Graveur, New York, and then committed suicide, declared tonight that her sister was innocently involved.

"My sister is 29 years old," said Mrs. Vogeding, "and was married to Mr. Leduc in New York about fifteen years ago. They came to Chicago ten or eleven years ago and have lived very happily."

"In New York they knew Mr. Graveur, who is a widower, and the two families became great friends, chiefly through Mr. Leduc's friendship for Mr. Graveur. My sister did not share this friendship."

"Two weeks ago Mrs. Leduc was left for a trip to the East to visit friends and relatives. She went first to New York, and from there was to go to Philadelphia to visit her sister and a cousin."

"In New York Mrs. Leduc naturally met Mr. Graveur, and when he learned she was going to Philadelphia, offered to drive her there in his car and the invitation was accepted."

"I know that Mr. Leduc will be able to clear my sister's name when he arrives in Philadelphia, and it will be shown that she was to visit her sister and cousin, and had nothing to do with the company of Mr. Graveur when the woman shot him and killed herself."

## TANKS CALLED FAILURE BY BRITISH PRISONERS

(By the International News Service.) Berlin (via Sayville), Sept. 27.—The new "tanks" are a complete failure, principally because they are too slow, according to a statement issued today by the Overseas News Agency.

The agency says its statement is based on the stories told by British prisoners who belonged to the crews of "tanks" operating on the front along the Somme. They are quoted as saying that of seven armored automobiles which started to advance September 16 only two actually arrived on the front.

Warsaw Bridge Completed.  
Berlin, Sept. 27.—The big Ponsiatowski Bridge across the Vistula at Warsaw has been completed and opened for traffic by Gov. Gen. Von Beseler.

## Telegraph Tips

Elkhart, Ky., Sept. 27.—Thomas McGeehee, 70 years old, aided by his grandson, Taylor, 14, fought a duel today with Richard Wells. Wells was killed and the boy was injured.

Rockview, Pa., Sept. 27.—After having slept well all night, H. E. Flier, convicted of the murder of C. J. Banks in Westmoreland County, was electrocuted at the penitentiary here today. Flier met death calmly.

Mount Gretna, Pa., Sept. 27.—The Third Field Artillery of Pennsylvania, included in the 10,000 additional guardsmen ordered to the border today by the War Department, is fully equipped and ready to move as soon as official orders are received.

Kenyon, Ohio, Sept. 27.—The marsh land fire at McGuffey, Hardin County, is beyond control and spreading rapidly. The town itself is in no immediate danger, a strong northeast wind having turned the flames today. Owners of the marsh land estimated that 150 acres have been burned.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Fire following an explosion of gasoline early today destroyed a north side building and 100 automobiles, with a loss of \$150,000. An employee was filling automobile tanks and a lighted lantern which he was carrying is believed to have caused the explosion.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 27.—The most drastic measures yet taken to fight infantile paralysis were put in force today when Mayor Curley issued an order prohibiting any child under 16 years of age from entering any place of amusement.

New York, Sept. 27.—Announcement was made today that the International Association of Machinists has declared a strike on the Ontario and Western Railway. About 1,500 machinists are involved and 5,000 men in other trades affected. The men demand an increase of 3 cents an hour in wages.

New York, Sept. 27.—Five deaths and twenty-six new cases of infantile paralysis were reported today. This is an increase in new cases but a decrease in deaths.

Santiago, Chile, Sept. 27.—Sir Ernest Shackleton and the twenty-two members of his Antarctic expedition who were rescued from Elephant Island arrived today at Valparaiso from the steamer Arenas on the tug Velcho. Sir Ernest is coming here personally to thank the President for aid given in saving his comrades.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 27.—The Big Run Coal Company was organized here today under the laws of Maryland, with \$200,000 capital, to operate in the coal fields of West Virginia. The company has taken over 240 acres of land in four counties, West Virginia, near Grafton.

Laredo, Tex., Sept. 27.—From thirty to fifty lives were lost when bandits wrecked two trains between San Luis Potosi and Gonzalez Junction last week, according to word reaching here today. A north-bound train was wrecked Friday night, the bandits tearing up the tracks. Saturday a south-bound train ploughed into the wreckage.

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 27.—The State board of health is considering taking drastic action to check the infantile paralysis epidemic. Three deaths and seven new cases were reported today.

New York, Sept. 27.—Mrs. Michael H. Graveur made a statement yesterday that her husband return home and preserves prepared by her which were in her apartment at 78 East Eighty-fifth street. She made the request in a letter attached to papers filed in the county clerk's office in connection with her suit for separation.

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 27.—Many of the thrashermen of Lancaster County have adopted a helmet when thrashing similar to the "gas helmet" used by the soldiers in the European war. Instead of the thrasher being filled with dust at the end of the day they now leave their machines free of the strangling dust that the unprotected thrashermen suffered from.

Ashland, Va., Sept. 27.—Wallace Page Fawcett, 22, has asked the Supreme Court's permission to drop his last name in order to qualify for \$2,000 left by his grand uncle, Wallace Page, who specified that the youth should adopt the testator's name.

Havana, Sept. 27.—Dr. Lopez Delvalle, director of sanitation, announced yesterday his intention of submitting to the national board of health a new cure for leprosy discovered by Angel Garcia, a countryman without scientific education of any kind. He is said to have succeeded in curing himself of leprosy.

Paterson, N. J., Sept. 27.—Lorenzo Martino stood on the Morris Canal towpath and pressed a revolver to his head. The bullet only singed his hair. He dived into the canal. A policeman hauled him out. Martino now is reconciled to life.

Quebec, Sept. 27.—Extradition proceedings have been opened here by United States Consul Voloch for the return to the State prison at McAlester, Okla., of Boston Taylor, a life term, who escaped several months ago. Taylor was convicted of killing a man for \$1.85. He escaped from the same prison in 1911, while serving a term for bigamy.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Four passengers and two express cars were overturned when a New York Central train was derailed at Ames Crossing, between Saranac Lake and Lake Placid. There were about thirty passengers on the train but none was seriously hurt.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 27.—For the fourth time within two weeks an attempt has been made to wreck the fast Cincinnati-Knoxville express on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad near Cythiana. Two heavy ties were found fastened to the rails overlooking a 100-foot embankment leading to the Coking River and just off a long bridge.

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 27.—The Argentine steamship Pampa has left for New York with a cargo of 4,000 tons of wheat and 1,000 tons of flour. The ship is loaded with wheat will follow. This is the first time Argentine wheat has been exported to the United States.

Peking, Sept. 27.—Tang Shao-Yi, formerly premier, recently appointed Chinese foreign minister, has refused to accept that portfolio. He declares opposition of the military party to him and to the Ku-min-tang, or radical party, which in the recent period of cabinet construction wished to have him made premier, would make harmony impossible in the cabinet.

## WILSON REGIME BRANDED SUPINE

Barry Bulkley Addresses  
Woman's Club.

Demanding "atonement for the sacrifice of American blood in Mexico," blaming the administration for "depreciation in values of the District of Columbia," describing present prosperity as "munition made," picturing the President "being away from the plate" and of "arbitrary and un-democratic conduct," Barry Bulkley voiced a striking arraignment of the Wilson administration before the meeting of the Woman's National Republican Club at the New Willard Hotel last night.

"There have been 500 instances of attacks and assaults upon American women and children in Mexico," said Mr. Bulkley, "and I defy any one to show a single case in which reparation has been sought by President Wilson."

"I care not about Huerta nor the bloodstained Villa, but I do care for American honor and for the blood of every American man, woman and child, shed upon the arid plains of Mexico, and I hold the business of the President Wilson directly responsible."

Referring to the treatment received by the District at the hands of the Democratic Congress, Mr. Bulkley said:

"The nation's city has been in a state of deplorable uncertainty. Its values have depreciated, its improvements have been retarded, until practically all the business element in the city cries out for a change."

Mr. Bulkley described as "fearless and outspoken," and the President as "vacillating and indecisive."

"We find the Democratic prosperity munition-made on the blood-soaked fields of ruined Belgium, in the roar of cannon and the shriek of the dying."

The eight-hour law, Mr. Bulkley said, "was crowded down the throat of Congress, which accepted without a murmur the dictum from the throne."

Col. John McKee, who followed Mr. Bulkley, critically reviewed Democratic policies and acts.

Mrs. J. Speel was chairman. The club will meet once a week.

## COLGATE RUNS AHEAD OF EDGE IN JERSEY

Error in Early Count Results in Outcome Being Changed.

(By the International News Service.) New York, Sept. 27.—Through an error of 10,000 votes in the early Essex County returns made in favor of his opponent, Austen Colgate, Republican candidate for governor, is leading Walter E. Edge in the New Jersey primary by more than 5,000 votes this afternoon. This morning's returns had practically assured Edge's nomination.

In the Democratic race for United States Senator, James E. Martine is hourly increasing his lead over Judge Wescott.

Frelinghuysen was running well ahead of Murphy in the late returns. In 1,114 districts out of 1,893 Frelinghuysen received 54,503 votes, as against 50,672 cast for Murphy.

Brown University Opens.  
Providence, R. I., Sept. 27.—Brown University opened its 153rd year today at the chapel exercises in Sayles Hall. Though registration figures are incomplete, the indications are for a maintenance of the record-breaking attendance of last year. The freshmen class at the Women's College exceeds all previous records.

British Steamer Sunk.  
London, Sept. 27.—The British steamship Bronwen, 4,200 tons, has been sunk, presumably by a German submarine. She hailed from Cardiff.

Secretary of War Baker yesterday signed orders sending the District National Guard now encamped at Radio, Va., to the Mexican border.

That was the news that Gen. William E. Harvey gave to Camp Ordway last night.

After a conversation with Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Chief of Staff, Gen. Harvey turned to the men in the office of the regimental adjutant of the Third Infantry, District National Guard, and delivered the announcement.

Gen. Harvey said he had been told by Gen. Scott that he had issued the orders just before leaving his office in the War Department at 4:30 yesterday afternoon.

The news was confirmed at Gen. S home at Fort Meyer last night.

The recruiting stations are prepared for the arrival of the new recruits.

The news was first read in the Washington Herald with the news that the Guardsmen have been ordered to entrain just as it was first in publishing, on the evening of Sunday, June 18, in an extra edition, the news that President Wilson had ordered the militia of the District and all the States mobilized for Mexican service.

The news of the mobilization was printed in The Washington Herald more than five hours ahead of its morning competitor and more than fourteen hours ahead of the first afternoon paper to publish the information.

These news "beats"—destined for an important place in the annals of journalistic achievement in the National Capital—are typical of the many important exclusive news stories that appear first in The Washington Herald. If you want the news, all the news, and the most important news first, read

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## LOCK I. W. W. IN BOX CAR.

When Railroad Refuses to Haul It, Prisoners Are Locked in Jail.

North Yakima, Wash., Sept. 27.—Forty men, the majority of whom are reported to be members of the Industrial Workers of the World, were locked in refrigerator cars here today by 150 citizens, who are armed with baseball bats and ax handles, and are standing guard.

The men were marched to the cars by the armed citizens, who intended shipping them out of town, but the railroad refused to handle the cars.

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## GERARD RETURNING HOME.

Ambassador to Germany Granted "Vacation" by Lansing.

Secretary of State Lansing yesterday announced that permission had been given Ambassador Gerard in Germany to come to the United States "for a vacation," the time of his leaving Germany to be left to him.

Ambassador Gerard will come to Washington to confer with Secretary Lansing, and later will talk with President Wilson about the payment of indemnity for Americans lost on the Lusitania, and about the naming of a commission to decide the amount of indemnity to be paid for the sinking of the American vessel William F. Frye, early in 1915.

THREAT TO "JOHNNY" EVERS.

Baseball Player Gets Black Hand Letter Demanding \$5,000.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 27.—The police are investigating a "black hand" letter written to "Johnny" Evers, second baseman of the Boston Nationals. The letter was written on the back of an envelope addressed by C. W. Poe & Co., of New York City, to Jesse H. Leonard, real estate dealer, of Albany. It reads: "To Johnny Evers, Baseball player—If you do not give us \$5,000 in two days, we will kill your daughter. If you fail to do it, the consequences are—Don't fail. If you think we are fooling, you will find out."

"Black Hand and White Hand Gang." An unintelligible word, apparently spelling "chucarponet," follows.

HE TAKES A LONG LOOK.

Costs \$10 to Watch Young Woman Cleaning Window 90 Minutes.

New York, Sept. 27.—Maurice J. Murphy, a chauffeur, was charged before Magistrate Ten Eyck, in the Men's Night Court, with disorderly conduct.

Miss Barbara Millholland said Murphy stood outside a window she was cleaning on East Fifty-fifth street yesterday afternoon an hour and a half calling her "blondie" and expressing sympathy in her labors.

"Why did you stay an hour and a half?" the magistrate asked.

Murphy could not remember.

"Ten dollars," said Magistrate Ten Eyck.

IMITATES PAUL REVERE.

Girl in Tenement Block Warns Sixty Families of Fire.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 27.—Awakened by smoke, Miss Nellie Brislin enacted the role of a female Paul Revere early today when she ran through Carson street for her neighbors to warn them of the danger of a block of tenements which had caught fire.

The lives of sixty families were thus saved. The tenements were destroyed by a loss of \$60,000.

Before leaving her own home Miss Brislin carried her aged mother to safety.

MOUTH POOR POCKETBOOK.

Woman Who Held \$5 in Teeth Robbed on Street.

Vineland, N. J., Sept. 27.—Holding a \$5 bank bill in her teeth while trying to count her silver change, and trying to push a baby carriage at the same time, Mrs. Joseph Marx was set upon and robbed under an electric light at Eighth and Wood streets.

Mrs. Marx had been to the drug store to get some medicine for her eyes, and did not pay much attention to two well-dressed young men and a girl standing on the corner.

One boy snatched the bill from between her lips and the other made a dive for the pocketbook, but the book caught in the woman's wedding ring and hurt her as she screamed, saving the book and the money. The boys and the girl ran away.

BOY WHISTLER SHOT.

Lad Who Wouldn't Cease Piping Now in Hospital.

Carlisle, Pa., Sept. 27.—Because he would not quit whistling when ordered by a boy friend, 10-year-old William Whitman, of Enola, has fatally wounded the hospital.

Young Whitman was sitting on a bridge near Summerdale Park, whistling blithely, when Clarence Horton, 17, of Enola, told him to quit, pointing at Whitman a small rifle with which the lad had been shooting at a mark. Thinking his friend in fun, Whitman paid no attention to Horton's threat, which was carried suddenly into effect.

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